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In re Patent Application of:
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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ENHANCING
GRAY SCALE OUTPUT ON A COLOR
DISPLAY

Examiner: S. J. Nadkarni

ELECTION IN RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Restriction Requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed July 28, 2008, please consider the following:

REMARKS

The Office Action has set forth two patentably distinct species as follows:

Species I: drawn to FIG. 3 [Claims 1-8 and 21-26]; and

Species II: drawn to FIGs. 2 and 5 [Claims 9-20 and 27-44].

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action, Applicant hereby elects "Species II" (proffered by the Examiner as being illustrated in Figures 2 and 5 and including claims 9-20 and 27-44) for further prosecution, with traverse. Applicant notes that the present restriction requirement is the second attempt by the Patent Office to create a restriction.